# Allahabad High Court

*Arranged by date of retirement (earliest first). Seniority numbers (AIS, PHC-S, SHC-S, Sl.) are shown for reference; the seniority-wise version is available on the same page of law-inc.in.*

**Data as on 22.11.2026. Source: LawInC analysis of Department of Justice data.**

Sitting judges of this Court, followed by judges whose Parent High Court is this Court and who are serving elsewhere, and sitting Supreme Court judges drawn from this Parent High Court. Parent High Court Seniority among sitting judges is kept after a transfer (as if there had been no transfers); that is the figure the public monthly list does not present as an all-India picture.

**Sitting: 101 · Sanctioned: 160 · Vacancies: 59 · Of this PHC, serving elsewhere: 10 · Of other PHCs, serving here: 5 · Chief Justices: 2 · Now in the Supreme Court: 4**

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## Sitting at this High Court (101)

Ordered by sitting-court seniority (SHC-S). PHC-S is Parent High Court Seniority among sitting judges of that Parent High Court (as if there had been no transfers; incoming transfers are not counted here). AIS is All India Seniority as on this date, including Addl. Judges. Incoming transferred judges, including the Chief Justice, appear here.

| SHC-S | PHC-S | AIS | Hon'ble Justice | Bar / Service | Sitting HC | PHC | Appointment | Retirement | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 45 | 49 | 285 | Ashutosh Srivastava | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 13.10.2021 | 02.12.2026 | |
| 36 | 37 | 166 | Raj Beer Singh | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.11.2018 | 05.12.2026 | |
| 12 | 11 | 102 | Irshad Ali | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.09.2017 | 11.12.2026 | |
| 68 | 73 | 675 | Pramod Kumar Srivastava-II Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 07.08.2025 | 04.01.2027 | Addl. Judge |
| 41 | 45 | 248 | Sanjay Kumar Pachori | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 16.09.2020 | 28.02.2027 | |
| 23 | 24 | 153 | Prakash Padia | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.11.2018 | 09.03.2027 | |
| 37 | 39 | 212 | Deepak Verma | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 12.12.2019 | 29.03.2027 | |
| 15 | 14 | 105 | Siddharth | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.09.2017 | 14.04.2027 | |
| 10 | 9 | 100 | Salil Kumar Rai | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.09.2017 | 07.08.2027 | |
| 3 | 2 | 25 | Rajan Roy | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 03.02.2014 | 14.08.2027 | |
| 97 | 102 | 724 | Vani Ranjan Agrawal (Smt.) Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 20.09.2027 | Addl. Judge |
| 2 | 5 | 17 | Arindam Sinha | Bar | Allahabad | Calcutta | 30.10.2013 | 21.09.2027 | |
| 42 | 46 | 282 | Chandra Kumar Rai | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 13.10.2021 | 14.10.2027 | |
| 64 | 69 | 614 | Sandeep Jain Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 18.04.2025 | 28.11.2027 | Addl. Judge |
| 33 | 34 | 163 | Dr. Yogendra Kumar Srivastava | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.11.2018 | 29.12.2027 | |
| 88 | 93 | 715 | Divesh Chandra Samant Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 04.02.2028 | Addl. Judge |
| 96 | 101 | 723 | Sanjiv Kumar Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 07.02.2028 | Addl. Judge |
| 25 | 26 | 155 | Saurabh Lavania | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.11.2018 | 16.04.2028 | |
| 5 | 5 | 46 | Atul Sreedharan | Bar | Allahabad | Madhya Pradesh | 07.04.2016 | 24.05.2028 | |
| 22 | 7 | 145 | Manoj Bajaj [H] | Bar | Allahabad | Punjab and Haryana | 29.10.2018 | 22.06.2028 | |
| 11 | 10 | 101 | Rajesh Singh Chauhan | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.09.2017 | 17.07.2028 | |
| 31 | 32 | 161 | Manju Rani Chauhan (Smt.) | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.11.2018 | 28.08.2028 | |
| 24 | 25 | 154 | Pankaj Bhatia | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.11.2018 | 14.09.2028 | |
| 14 | 13 | 104 | Rajiv Gupta | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.09.2017 | 21.10.2028 | |
| 100 | 105 | 732 | Vinai Kumar Dwivedi Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 17.10.2025 | 30.10.2028 | Addl. Judge |
| 67 | 72 | 617 | Harvir Singh Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 18.04.2025 | 12.03.2029 | Addl. Judge |
| 58 | 63 | 479 | Prashant Kumar | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.02.2023 | 29.05.2029 | |
| 53 | 58 | 471 | Manish Kumar Nigam | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 07.02.2023 | 14.06.2029 | |
| 13 | 12 | 103 | Jahangir Jamshed Munir | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.09.2017 | 22.08.2029 | |
| 6 | 5 | 64 | Siddhartha Varma | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 15.11.2016 | 18.09.2029 | |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 1 | 4 | Arun Bhansali Chief Justice | Bar | Allahabad | Rajasthan | 08.01.2013 | 14.10.2029 | Chief Justice w.e.f. 05.02.2024 |
| 52 | 57 | 470 | Syed Qamar Hasan Rizvi | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 07.02.2023 | 18.11.2029 | |
| 44 | 48 | 284 | Sameer Jain | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 13.10.2021 | 25.02.2030 | |
| 30 | 31 | 160 | Rajeev Singh | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.11.2018 | 02.04.2030 | |
| 7 | 6 | 66 | Sangeeta Chandra (Smt.) | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 15.11.2016 | 22.04.2030 | |
| 43 | 47 | 283 | Krishan Pahal | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 13.10.2021 | 22.06.2030 | |
| 69 | 74 | 676 | Abdul Shahid Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 07.08.2025 | 05.07.2030 | Addl. Judge |
| 18 | 17 | 108 | Abdul Moin | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.09.2017 | 31.10.2030 | |
| 95 | 100 | 722 | Devendra Singh-I Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 13.11.2030 | Addl. Judge |
| 16 | 15 | 106 | Ajit Kumar | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.09.2017 | 21.12.2030 | |
| 4 | 4 | 32 | Yashwant Varma | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 13.10.2014 | 05.01.2031 | |
| 19 | 18 | 109 | Rajeev Misra | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.09.2017 | 26.01.2031 | |
| 28 | 29 | 158 | Saurabh Shyam Shamshery | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.11.2018 | 03.02.2031 | |
| 62 | 67 | 612 | Jitendra Kumar Sinha Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 18.04.2025 | 27.05.2031 | Addl. Judge |
| 74 | 79 | 701 | Amitabh Kumar Rai Addl. | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 08.09.2025 | 03.06.2031 | Addl. Judge |
| 20 | 19 | 110 | Chandra Dhari Singh | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.09.2017 | 11.07.2031 | |
| 21 | 20 | 111 | Ajay Bhanot | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.09.2017 | 03.08.2031 | |
| 17 | 16 | 107 | Rajnish Kumar | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.09.2017 | 09.08.2031 | |
| 8 | 7 | 71 | Saumitra Dayal Singh | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 20.02.2017 | 19.12.2031 | |
| 26 | 27 | 156 | Vivek Varma | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.11.2018 | 28.12.2031 | |
| 98 | 103 | 725 | Achal Sachdev Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 30.12.2031 | Addl. Judge |
| 72 | 77 | 679 | Zafeer Ahmed Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 07.08.2025 | 29.01.2032 | Addl. Judge |
| 46 | 50 | 286 | Subhash Vidyarthi | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 13.10.2021 | 29.04.2032 | |
| 47 | 51 | 287 | Brij Raj Singh | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 13.10.2021 | 06.08.2032 | |
| 39 | 41 | 214 | Manish Kumar | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 12.12.2019 | 15.09.2032 | |
| 92 | 97 | 719 | Padam Narain Mishra Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 02.10.2032 | Addl. Judge |
| 76 | 81 | 703 | Vivek Saran Addl. | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 31.10.2032 | Addl. Judge |
| 66 | 71 | 616 | Madan Pal Singh Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 18.04.2025 | 01.01.2033 | Addl. Judge |
| 91 | 96 | 718 | Rajeev Bharti Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 20.01.2033 | Addl. Judge |
| 65 | 70 | 615 | Avnish Saxena Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 18.04.2025 | 07.02.2033 | Addl. Judge |
| 63 | 68 | 613 | Anil Kumar-X Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 18.04.2025 | 20.04.2033 | Addl. Judge |
| 32 | 33 | 162 | Karunesh Singh Pawar | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.11.2018 | 18.05.2033 | |
| 35 | 36 | 165 | Rohit Ranjan Agarwal | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.11.2018 | 04.07.2033 | |
| 87 | 92 | 714 | Chawan Prakash Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 04.07.2033 | Addl. Judge |
| 71 | 76 | 678 | Tej Pratap Tiwari Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 07.08.2025 | 01.08.2033 | Addl. Judge |
| 29 | 30 | 159 | Jaspreet Singh | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.11.2018 | 28.08.2033 | |
| 9 | 9 | 98 | Shekhar B. Saraf | Bar | Allahabad | Calcutta | 21.09.2017 | 20.10.2033 | |
| 27 | 28 | 157 | Piyush Agrawal | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.11.2018 | 05.11.2033 | |
| 59 | 64 | 480 | Manjive Shukla | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.02.2023 | 07.11.2033 | |
| 40 | 42 | 215 | Samit Gopal | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 12.12.2019 | 29.12.2033 | |
| 94 | 99 | 721 | Jai Prakash Tiwari Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 01.01.2034 | Addl. Judge |
| 38 | 40 | 213 | Dinesh Pathak | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 12.12.2019 | 06.01.2034 | |
| 90 | 95 | 717 | Tarun Saxena Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 10.01.2034 | Addl. Judge |
| 73 | 78 | 700 | Arun Kumar Addl. | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 03.09.2025 | 02.04.2034 | Addl. Judge |
| 86 | 91 | 713 | Dr. Ajay Kumar-II Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 05.06.2034 | Addl. Judge |
| 34 | 35 | 164 | Manish Mathur | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 22.11.2018 | 08.06.2034 | |
| 70 | 75 | 677 | Santosh Rai Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 07.08.2025 | 30.06.2034 | Addl. Judge |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 93 | 98 | 720 | Lakshmi Kant Shukla Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 01.07.2034 | Addl. Judge |
| 101 | 106 | 733 | Jai Krishna Upadhyay Addl. | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 07.01.2026 | 13.08.2034 | Addl. Judge |
| 89 | 94 | 716 | Prashant Mishra-I Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 24.12.2034 | Addl. Judge |
| 99 | 104 | 726 | Babita Rani (Smt.) Addl. | Service | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 23.04.2035 | Addl. Judge |
| 49 | 53 | 289 | Vikas Budhwar | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 13.10.2021 | 27.06.2035 | |
| 55 | 60 | 473 | Nand Prabha Shukla (Ms.) | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 07.02.2023 | 29.06.2035 | |
| 60 | 65 | 481 | Arun Kumar Singh Deshwal | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.02.2023 | 06.07.2035 | |
| 79 | 84 | 706 | Sudhanshu Chauhan Addl. | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 09.07.2035 | Addl. Judge |
| 80 | 85 | 707 | Abdhesh Kumar Chaudhary Addl. | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 19.12.2035 | Addl. Judge |
| 54 | 59 | 472 | Anish Kumar Gupta | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 07.02.2023 | 02.01.2036 | |
| 48 | 52 | 288 | Shree Prakash Singh | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 13.10.2021 | 07.02.2036 | |
| 50 | 54 | 311 | Vikram D Chauhan | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.10.2021 | 22.09.2036 | |
| 78 | 83 | 705 | Garima Prashad (Smt.) Addl. | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 22.10.2036 | Addl. Judge |
| 61 | 66 | 590 | Pravin Kumar Giri Addl. | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.01.2025 | 19.01.2037 | Addl. Judge |
| 56 | 61 | 474 | Kshitij Shailendra | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 07.02.2023 | 13.07.2037 | |
| 51 | 55 | 403 | Saurabh Srivastava | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 03.08.2022 | 29.07.2037 | |
| 77 | 82 | 704 | Vivek Kumar Singh Addl. | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 07.10.2037 | Addl. Judge |
| 57 | 62 | 475 | Vinod Diwakar | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 07.02.2023 | 14.09.2038 | |
| 85 | 90 | 712 | Satya Veer Singh Addl. | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 06.07.2039 | Addl. Judge |
| 81 | 86 | 708 | Swarupama Chaturvedi (Smt.) Addl. | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 31.12.2039 | Addl. Judge |
| 82 | 87 | 709 | Siddharth Nandan Addl. | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 25.05.2040 | Addl. Judge |
| 84 | 89 | 711 | Indrajeet Shukla Addl. | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 30.06.2040 | Addl. Judge |
| 75 | 80 | 702 | Rajiv Lochan Shukla Addl. | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 08.09.2025 | 02.08.2040 | Addl. Judge |
| 83 | 88 | 710 | Kunal Ravi Singh Addl. | Bar | Allahabad | Allahabad | 27.09.2025 | 10.06.2041 | Addl. Judge |

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## Collegium of the Allahabad High Court

*As on 22.11.2026.*

| Role | Hon'ble Justice | Retirement |
|---|---|---|
| Chief Justice | Arun Bhansali | 14.10.2029 |
| Member | Arindam Sinha | 21.09.2027 |
| Member | Rajan Roy | 14.08.2027 |

*Projected from the present sitting list, through 22.11.2027: On 14.08.2027 Justice Rajan Roy retires and Justice Yashwant Varma joins the collegium; On 21.09.2027 Justice Arindam Sinha retires and Justice Atul Sreedharan joins the collegium.*

## Senior-most judge of the Allahabad Parent High Court*

Projected order in which judges of this Parent High Court become its senior-most judge (PHC-S 1), from Parent High Court Seniority and dates of retirement. Judges who will retire before they could become the senior-most are omitted.

- 1* · Justice Mahesh Chandra Tripathi · now - 20.06.2028
- 2* · Justice Ashwani Kumar Mishra · 21.06.2028 - 15.11.2030
- 3* · Justice Yashwant Varma · 16.11.2030 - 05.01.2031
- 4* · Justice Saumitra Dayal Singh · 06.01.2031 - 19.12.2031
- 5* · Justice Vivek Varma · 20.12.2031 - 28.12.2031
- 6* · Justice Piyush Agrawal · 29.12.2031 - 05.11.2033
- 7* · Justice Manish Mathur · 06.11.2033 - 08.06.2034
- 8* · Justice Shree Prakash Singh · 09.06.2034 - 07.02.2036
- 9* · Justice Vikram D Chauhan · 08.02.2036 - 22.09.2036

- 10* · Justice Saurabh Srivastava · 23.09.2036 - 29.07.2037
- 11* · Justice Om Prakash Shukla · 30.07.2037 - 19.04.2039
- 12* · Justice Rajiv Lochan Shukla · 20.04.2039 - 02.08.2040
- 13* · Justice Kunal Ravi Singh · 03.08.2040 - 10.06.2041

** LawInC projection as on 22.11.2026; not an official list. A later appointment, transfer, resignation or elevation to the Supreme Court would alter it.*

## Transferred to other High Courts (10)

Including those serving as Chief Justice or as a puisne judge of another High Court. Their Parent High Court Seniority is unchanged.

| SHC-S | PHC-S | AIS | Hon'ble Justice | Bar / Service | Sitting HC | PHC | Appointment | Retirement | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3 | 23 | 114 | Jayant Banerji | Bar | Karnataka | Allahabad | 22.09.2017 | 16.01.2027 | |
| 22 | 44 | 217 | Shamim Ahmed | Bar | Madras | Allahabad | 12.12.2019 | 07.03.2028 | |
| 3 | 8 | 72 | Vivek Chaudhary | Bar | Delhi | Allahabad | 20.02.2017 | 12.05.2028 | |
| 1 | 1 | 13 | Mahesh Chandra Tripathi Chief Justice | Bar | Bombay | Allahabad | 27.09.2013 | 20.06.2028 | Chief Justice w.e.f. 09.09.2026 |
| 4 | 21 | 112 | Dinesh Kumar Singh | Bar | Karnataka | Allahabad | 22.09.2017 | 17.08.2028 | |
| 7 | 22 | 113 | Vivek Kumar Singh | Bar | Madhya Pradesh | Allahabad | 22.09.2017 | 24.03.2030 | |
| 1 | 3 | 26 | Ashwani Kumar Mishra Chief Justice | Bar | Punjab and Haryana | Allahabad | 03.02.2014 | 15.11.2030 | Chief Justice w.e.f. 07.09.2026 |
| 6 | 38 | 167 | Sanjay Kumar Singh | Bar | Patna | Allahabad | 22.11.2018 | 20.01.2031 | |
| 2 | 43 | 216 | Ravi Nath Tilhari | Bar | Andhra Pradesh | Allahabad | 12.12.2019 | 08.02.2031 | |
| 28 | 56 | 404 | Om Prakash Shukla | Bar | Delhi | Allahabad | 03.08.2022 | 19.04.2039 | |

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## Transferred from other High Courts (5)

Sitting judges of this Court whose Parent High Court is another High Court (transferred in). Their Parent High Court Seniority (PHC-S) is that of their Parent High Court, among sitting judges.

| Hon'ble Justice | Bar / Service | PHC | PHC-S |
|---|---|---|---|
| Arun Bhansali | Bar | Rajasthan | 1 |
| Arindam Sinha | Bar | Calcutta | 5 |
| Atul Sreedharan | Bar | Madhya Pradesh | 5 |
| Shekhar B. Saraf | Bar | Calcutta | 9 |
| Manoj Bajaj [H] | Bar | Punjab and Haryana | 7 |

*PHC: Parent High Court. PHC-S: Parent High Court Seniority among sitting judges.*

## Chief Justices (2)

| Sl. | Hon'ble Justice | High Court | Appointment | Retirement |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Mahesh Chandra Tripathi | Bombay | 09.09.2026 | 20.06.2028 |
| 2 | Ashwani Kumar Mishra | Punjab and Haryana | 07.09.2026 | 15.11.2030 |

## Hon'ble Judge of Supreme Court (4)

| SC seniority | Hon'ble Justice | Appointment | Retirement | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2 | Vikram Nath | 31.08.2021 | 23.09.2027 | * |
| 10 | Manoj Misra | 06.02.2023 | 01.06.2030 | — |
| 36 | D.K. Upadhyaya | 06.10.2026 | 15.06.2030 | — |
| 35 | Sunita Agarwal (Smt.) | 06.10.2026 | 29.04.2031 | — |

*CJI: Chief Justice of India.*

** Likely to be CJI as per seniority*